

FIG. 1

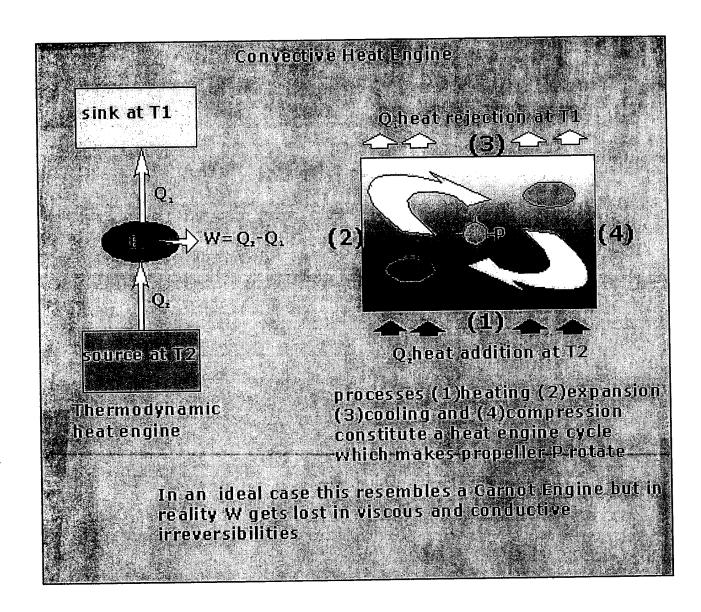


FIG. 2

Rayleigh - Benard Convection Cells (computer model)

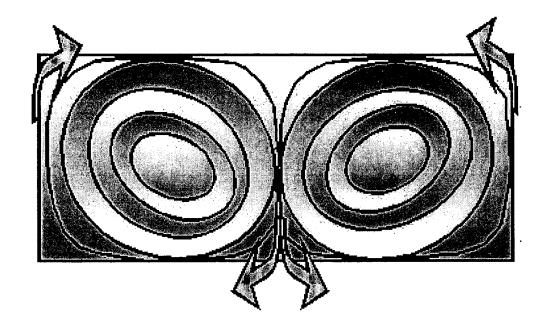




Plate Heated from below

Energy is transferred from bottom to top by the Convection Cells formed in the Fluid when Ra exceeds 1708. The direction of rotation of two adjacent Cells are shown in the figure

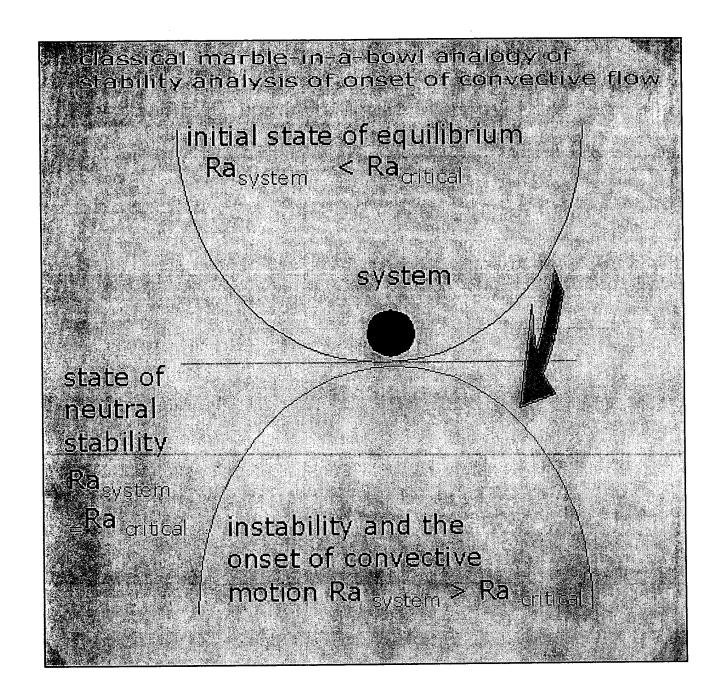
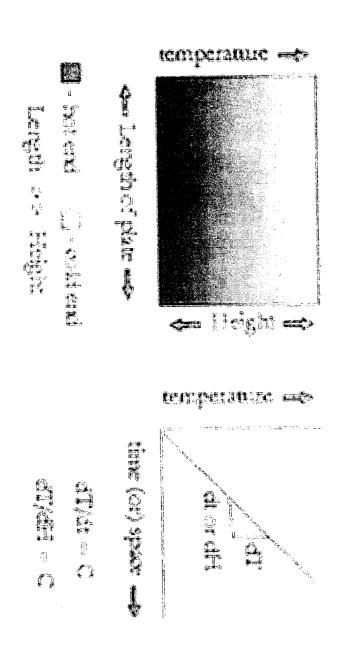
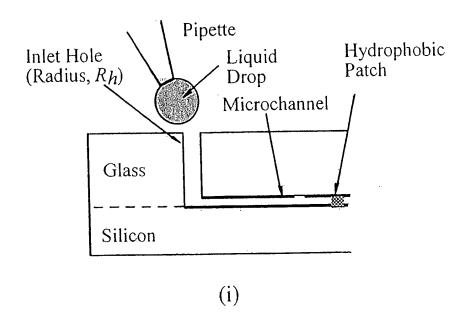


FIG. 4





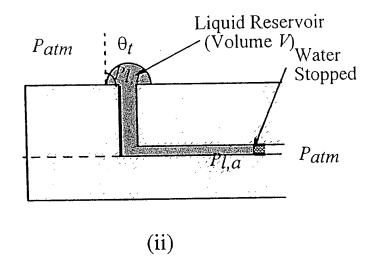


FIG. 6A

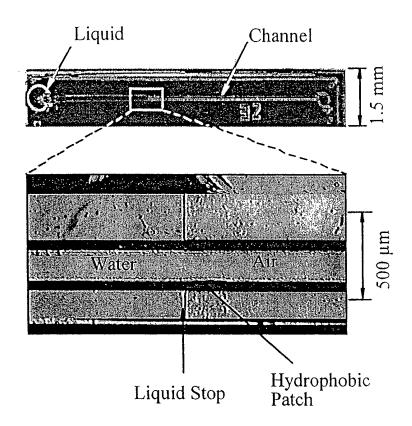


FIG. 6B

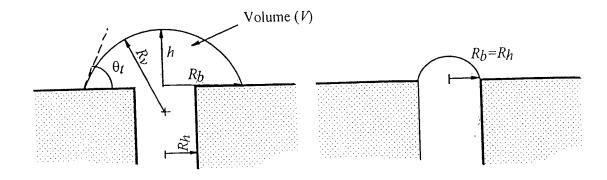
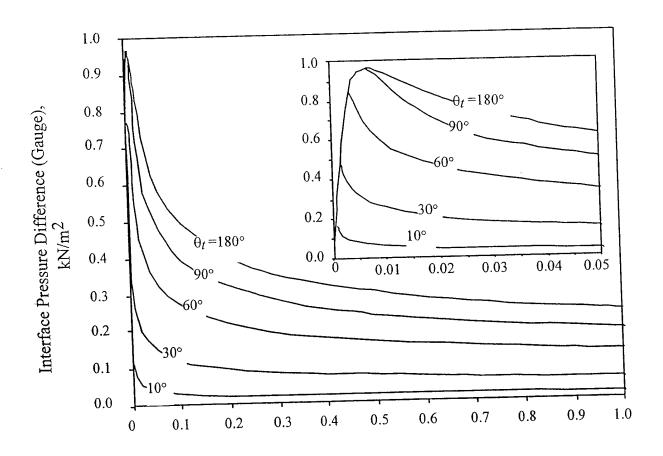


FIG. 7A

FIG. 7B



Volume of water, $V(\mu l)$

FIG. 7C

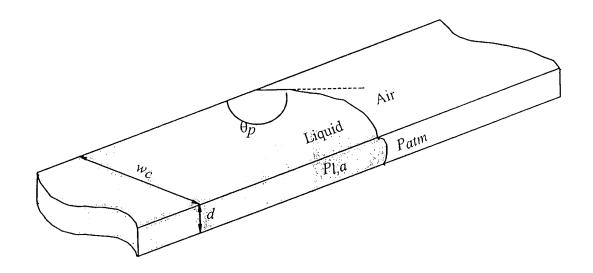
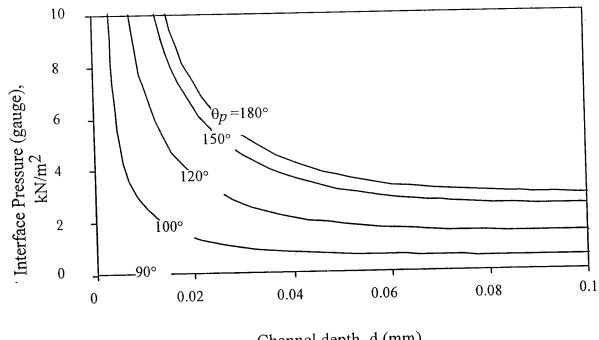


FIG. 8A



Channel depth, d (mm)

FIG. 8B

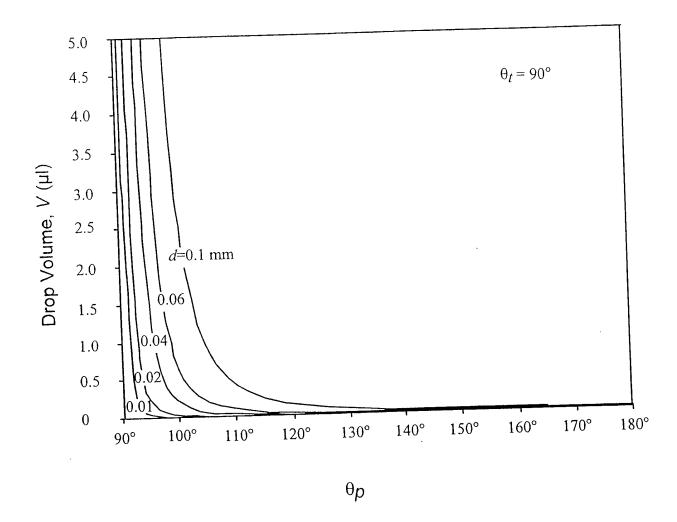


FIG. 9

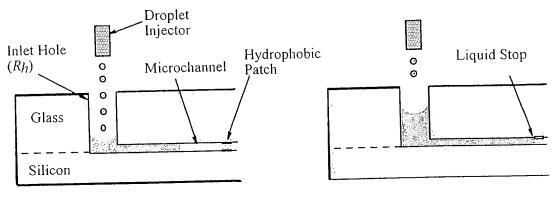


FIG. 10A

FIG. 10B

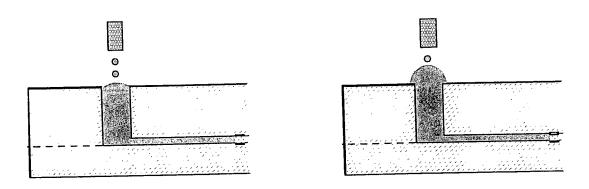
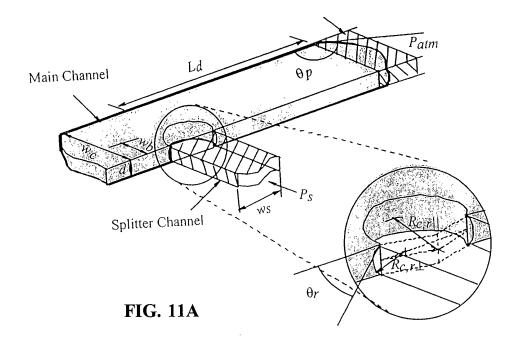


FIG. 10C

FIG. 10D



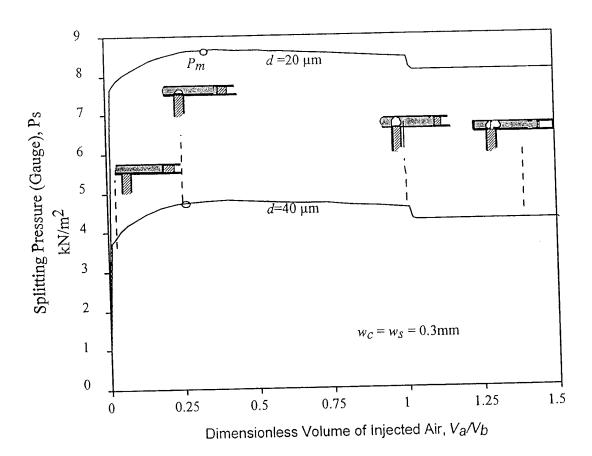


FIG. 11B

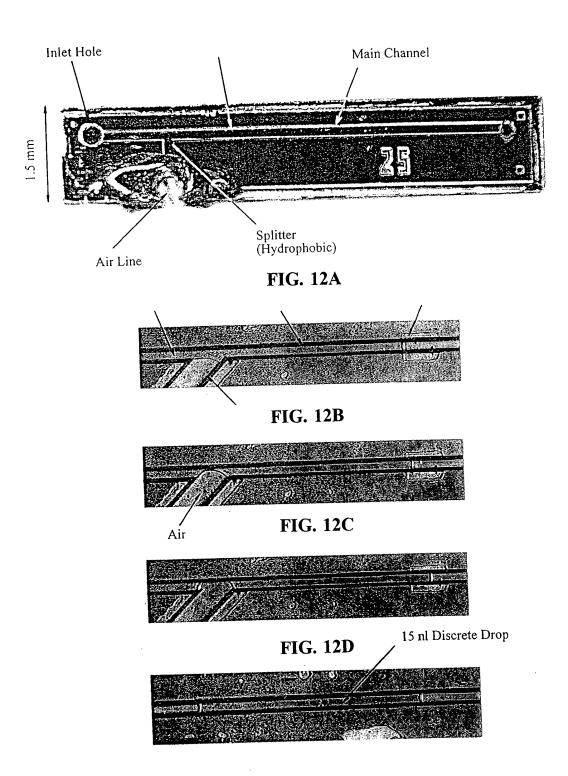


FIG. 12E

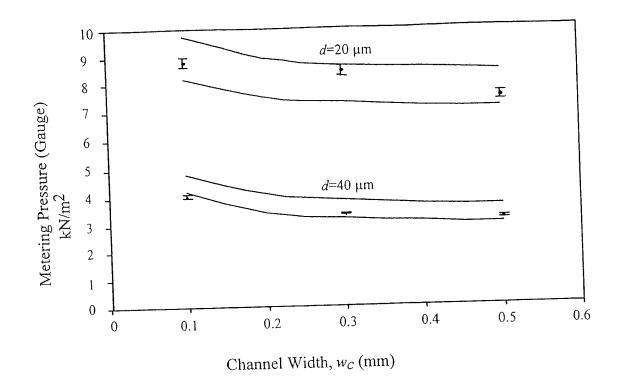


FIG. 13A

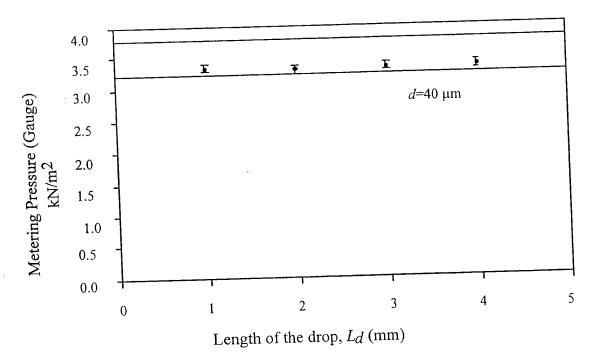


FIG. 13B

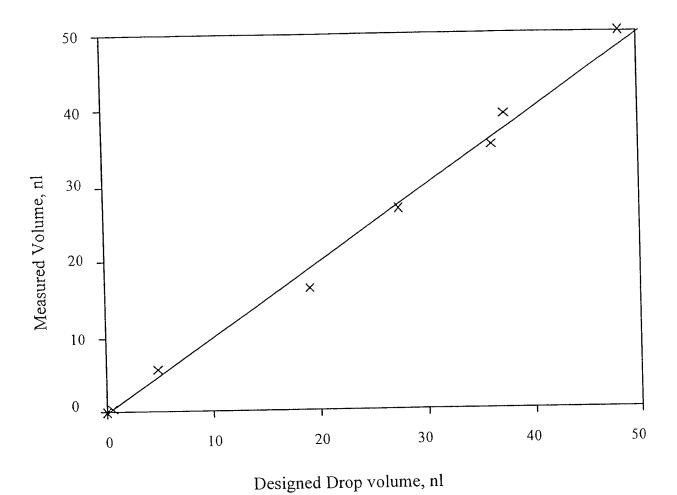


FIG. 14

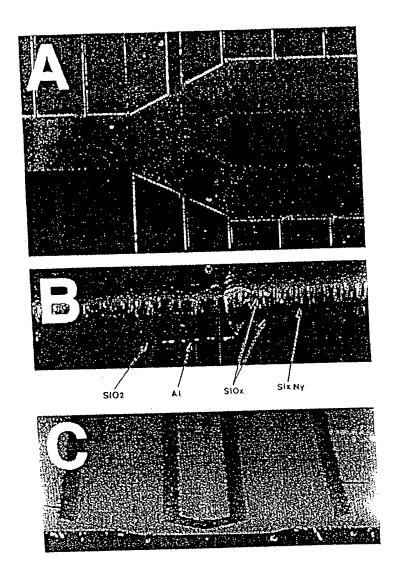


FIG. 15

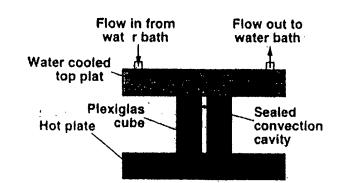


FIG. 16A

